

## Message Text

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ACTION SCSE-00

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 SSO-00 H-02 /003 W

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FM AMEMBASSY TRIPOLI

TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 2041

UNCLAS TRIPOLI 269

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: CASC, LY (KETCHUM, RICHARD VAN)

SUBJECT: W/W RICHARD VAN KETCHUM

REF: STATE 051262

1. DIRECT CONTACT LIBYAN GOVERNMENT OFFICES DIFFICULT BECAUSE  
FRIDAY HOLY DAY.  
LINES TO AL-MARJ ARE DOWN.

2. WE REACHED DWAYN NORTHCUTT, AMCIT RESIDENT BENGHAZI, WHO  
PROMISED TO HAVE MESSAGE DELIVERED TO RICHARD VAN KETCHUM BY

1000 GMT 7 MARCH EITHER BY TELEPHONE OR BY DIRECT DELIVERY.

3. CONGRESSMAN JAKE PICKLE INTERESTED.  
STEIN

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## Message Attributes

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